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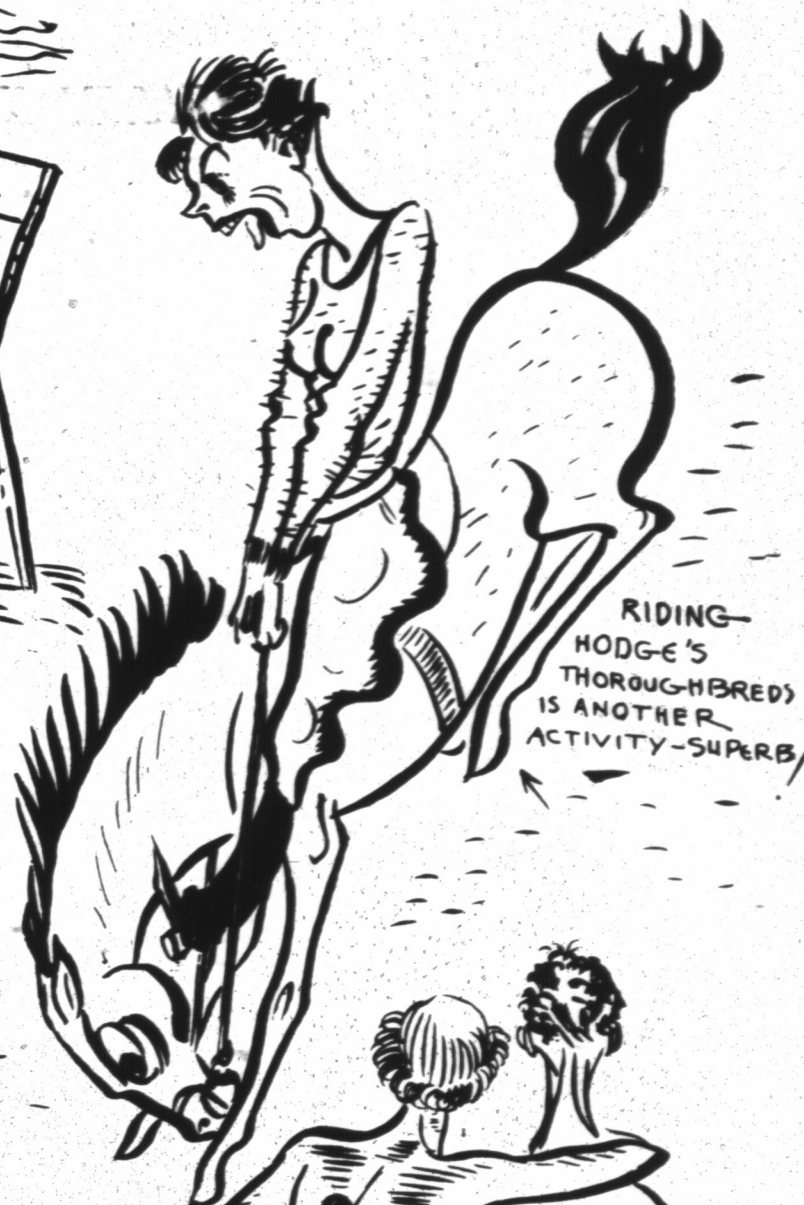
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NUMBER 26.

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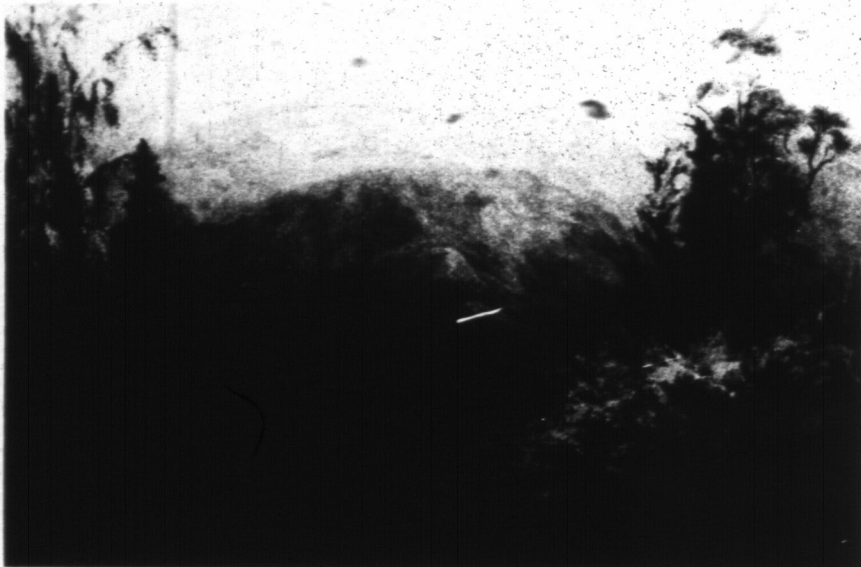


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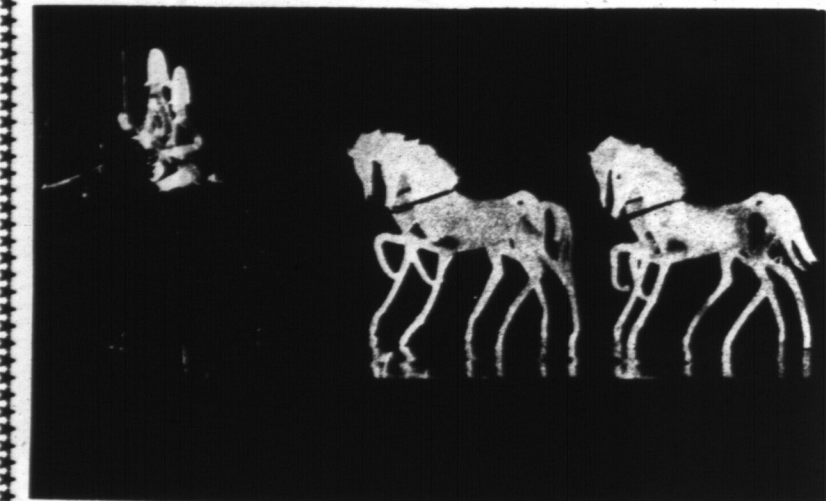


Well Known Artist

Ida Maynard Curtis, nationally known artist, is well known in the East, especially in Provincetown and New York, as well as in Carmel. She has a deep appreciation for natural scenes, a strong gift for securing color effects, and a firm technic. Her choice of subjects is varied, and her manner of handling is unhackneyed. Color will not always stand up under criticism, but the color in her work rings true. It is rich and intense, yet has the underlying delicacy so often found in nature.

Miss Curtis is an artist of wide travel and study. She has painted under such men as Chase, Hawthorne and Derran Ross in this country, and Senion and Maynard in Paris. Her pictures have been exhibited in New York, Boston, Cincinnati and other cities in the Middle West, as well as many coast cities.

A picnic was given last Sunday at Sleepy Hollow by Mr. and Mrs. Linsey K. Gentry. Those who attended were Eleanor Morehead, Beverly Tait, Doris Dale, Stanley Kahn, Charles Bechdolt, and John von Salza.



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O'NEILL SEA PLAYS PROVE VERY SUCCESSFUL

Eugene O'Neill's "Three Sea Plays"; "In The Zone," "The Long Voyage Home," and "Where The Cross Is Made," given by the St. James Repertory company in the Green Room last week were up to the usual high standard. The fact that O'Neill served as a sailor at one time accounts for the real sea flavor of the plays.


It would be impossible to say that any one actor performed outstandingly but it is surprising that the local talent showed up so well in a group of finisher actors. Fern Hyde, Joe Catherwood, Ross Miller, Frank Townsend, and Harry Hedger were the local actress and actors.

The next offering of the St. James Repertory is "Hay Fever," a clever play, by Noel Coward, which is scheduled for the week-end of July 29-August 1.

Mrs. John Douglas Short is in Carmel for the Bach Festival. She is a guest of Noel Sullivan.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Hughes returned Saturday from a two weeks' trip to Mt. Lassen.

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Californian Contest Off To Good Start

Here they are—the list you've been waiting for—the names of those who have been nominated in the The Californian's \$1,200 Circulation Club, and showing the votes that have been cast for each up to 5:30 p. m. Monday, July, 19.

They are off to a good start but it's much too early to know who has the edge on the try for the Ford V-8 Tudor sedan which is first grand prize. The car has been purchased and is on display at The Berthold Motor Co., in Carmel. There is also a second prize of \$200 in cash, a third of \$75 and fourth of \$25, besides the cash commission paid to all non-winners.

Look over the names and if yours is not on the list and you would like to win this beautiful Ford V-8 Tudor sedan, fully equipped, with all taxes paid and license furnished, all ready to go, send in your name to The Californian or call up and a representative will call upon you and give you all the details without obligation.

Rev. Willis G. White, retired Presbyterian Minister, is leading. Mr. White inaugurated the Kite Contest for boys and girls in Carmel, a number of years ago, at that time furnishing the prizes. This pleasing diversion has now become an annual affair.

Miss Suzy Chapman, popular high school girl, is second and Mrs. John Mather, well known mem-

ber of the Woman's Club is third.

A number of other charming young ladies have the assistance of their friends who have already given them a good start in the Californian's competition, and these Club Members have indicated their intention of making an active campaign for the Ford V-8, so the race will doubtless be a merry one.

The names of Club Members follow:—

Rev. Willis G. White	61,500
Miss Suzy Chapman	57,500
Mrs. John Mather	46,000
Miss Ellen Skadan	44,500
Miss Clara Callender	42,500
Miss Happy Whyte	37,500
Miss Barbara Crompton	35,500
Miss Mary Wheldon	31,500
Miss Mary	
Mrs. Florence Leidig	30,500
Miss Joan Tait	30,000
Dick Tevis	27,000
Mrs. Roy Frateis	25,500
Mrs. Verne Reagan	24,500
Miss Patsy Shephard	23,000
Bob Davis	22,500
Mrs. Eleanore Weigold	18,000
Mrs. Doug Rogers	10,000

AUTOMOBILE BURNS

A car belonging to Manuel Perira was damaged last Tuesday night by a fire of unknown origin. Mr. Perira had parked his car at 4th and San Carlos when it caught fire and was damaged slightly before firemen could extinguish the blaze.

Dick Waters, of Los Angeles, was a week-end visitor in Carmel.

FOREST THEATER



These pictures depict something of the present condition of the Forest Theater. This summer, for the first time since 1916, there will

be no activity on the venerable stage, and there will be no applause, just the song of an occasional coo-coo bird.

SUNSET SCHOOL TAX 38 NOT 45 CENTS

With threat of a mass meeting to protest the 11 cent raise in the Sunset School tax rate, it was announced Friday by a member of the local school board that through an error in the assessment figures discovered in a recheck asked for by members of the board, that the new tax rate will be 38 cents and not 45 cents as previously announced.

The main reason for error was the fact that the 45 cent rate had been based on the old assessment figures and had not taken into account the increase of more than \$1,000,000 in assessment value.

Frank Shea, member of Sunset School board, said Friday that the 38 cent per hundred tax rate had not been finally determined, but that he was sure that 38 would be the maximum figure. Last minute changes in the school budget, to be considered at the August meeting of the board, might make possible a 37 cent rate, he said.

Mr. Shea, J. R. McKillop, member of the High School board, and A. B. Jacobsen, of the county board, discussed the tax situation at the Carmel Business Association meeting, last night in Sunset School.

To learn of the progress of The Californian Circulation Club contest and other matters of interest, tune in on KDON at 7:45 a.m., 12:45 and 8:15 p.m.

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NEW STEINBECK BOOK

Of interest to bibliophiles will be the announcement made recently by Covici Friede, publishers, that a limited edition of John Steinbeck's new volume of short stories will be published in the early fall.

The book, "The Little Red Pony" is a collection of four short stories based on the author's boyhood experiences. The number of copies printed will be 699 and will sell at ten dollars a copy. Hand-set type and unusual paper will be used in the volume.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Rihard of Pasadena, were week-end guests of Borghild Jansen.

Classified Ads

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MARGARET HOLBRITTER DIES

Margaret Holbritten, Carmel, died last Wednesday night. She was 57 years old.

Having no relatives here, burial services will be held in New York. The body was taken to the Freeman-Rancadore Mortuary in Salinas on Thursday and the ashes sent on to New York.

Mrs. J. L. Nagle and daughter, Kathleen, of Sacramento, who have recently returned from an Alaskan cruise, are spending the rest of July in Carmel.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of —
GIACINTO RE, deceased.
No. 6,068

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, AMELIA J. BASSI as administratrix of the estate of GIACINTO RE, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the county of MONTEREY, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at the law offices of Messrs. Hudson, Martin & Ferrante, attorneys for said administratrix, in the Professional Building in the City of Monterey, California, which last named place the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said decedent.

DATED at MONTEREY, California, July 2, 1937.

AMELIA J. BASSI
As administratrix of the estate of
GIACINTO RE, deceased.
HUDSON, MARTIN & FERRANTE,
Attorneys for administratrix.
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State of California
Department of Public Works
DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the State Highway Engineer, Public Works Building, Sacramento, California, until 2 o'clock p.m. on Aug. 4, 1937, at which time they will be publicly opened and read, for construction in accordance with the specifications therefor, to which special reference is made, of portions of State Highway, as follows:
Monterey County, a steel and concrete bridge across Mud Creek about twenty-five (25) miles north of San Simeon (V-Mon-66-A) consisting of one 80-foot plate girder span and two 41-foot steel beam spans.
In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 397, Statutes of 1931, the Department of Public Works has ascertained the general prevailing rate of wages applicable to the work to be done to be as follows:

Classification	Rate per hour
Carpenter	\$1.125
Concrete bridge deck finisher	1.25
Concrete vibrator operator	1.00
Dragline operator (except shovel type)	1.25
Electrical worker	1.25
Grader operator	1.00
Holstman	1.375
Operator of power shovel or other excavating equipment, shovel type controls (¾ cubic yard or more)	1.50
Painter	1.00
Pile driver holstman or operator	1.50
Pile driver man	1.33 1/4
Reinforcing steel worker	1.25
Structural steel worker	1.50
Tractor driver (50 h.p. and over)	1.25
Roller Operator	1.25
INTERMEDIATE GRADE LABOR	
Blacksmith	0.82
Concrete mixer operator (except paving type)	0.93
Concrete worker for structure (wet or dry)	0.77
Cook	0.68
Driller	0.75
Floatman	0.75
Mechanic (trouble shooter)	0.88
Oilier (power shovels or cranes)	0.90
Powderman	0.75
Sloper	0.75
Spraygun operator (concrete pavement curing)	0.75
Tractor driver (under 50 h.p.)	0.75
Transit mix operator	0.93
Truck driver (less than 4 cubic yards water level capacity)	0.68
Truck driver (4 cubic yards water level capacity or more)	0.75
UNSKILLED LABOR	
Bridge laborer	0.60
Flagman	0.60
Guard	0.60
Handyman (roustabout)	0.60

Laborer 0.60
Teamster 0.60
Watchman 0.60
Any classification omitted herein not less than 0.60
Overtime—double the above rates.
Sundays and holidays (except watchmen, guards and flagmen)—double the above rates.

Proposal forms will be issued only to those Contractors who have furnished a verified statement of experience and financial condition in accordance with the provisions of the State Contract Act, and whose statements so furnished are satisfactory to the Department of Public Works.

No bid will be accepted from a Contractor who has not been licensed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 791, Statutes of 1929, as amended, or to whom a proposal form has not been issued by the Department of Public Works.

Plans may be seen, and forms of proposal, bonds, contract, and specifications may be obtained at the office of the State Highway Engineer, Public Works Building, Sacramento, California, and they may be seen at the offices of the District Engineers at Los Angeles and San Francisco, at the office of the District Engineer of the district in which the work is situated, and at the office of the Associated General Contractors in San Francisco and in Los Angeles. The District Engineers' offices are located at Eureka, Redding, Marysville, San Francisco, San Luis Obispo, Fresno, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Bishop, Stockton, and San Diego.

A representative from the district office will be available to accompany prospective bidders for an inspection of the work herein contemplated, and Contractors are urged to investigate the location, character, and quantity of work to be done, with a representative of the Division of Highways. It is requested that arrangements for joint field inspection be made as far in advance as possible.

No bid will be received unless it is made on a blank form furnished by the State Highway Engineer. The special attention of prospective bidders is called to the "Proposal Requirements and Conditions" annexed to the blank form of proposal, for full directions as to bidding, etc.

The Department of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS
C. H. PURCELL,

State Highway Engineer.

Dated July 16, 1937.

Betsy Doblizenski, of Oakland, is the houseguest of Pat Coblentz this week.

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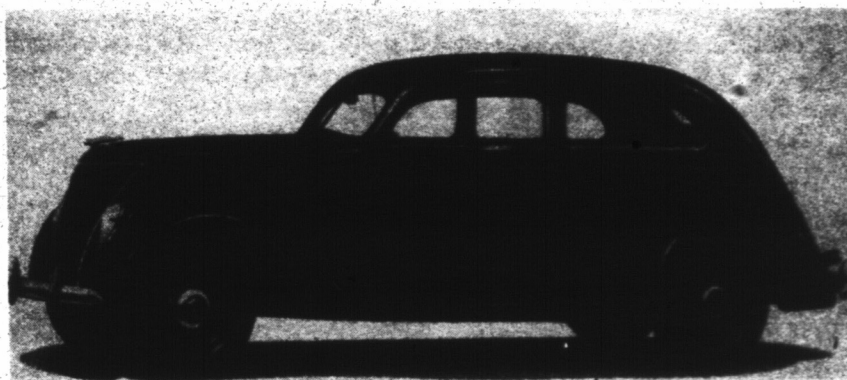
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HOW TO JOIN CLUB

The first thing to do is to cut out the membership blank appearing on this page, fill in your name and address or those of a friend and send or bring the coupon to the Circulation Club Department of The Californian.

This coupon entitles you, or the one you nominate, to 10,000 free votes. Only one such nomination will be accepted for each club member. After you are nominated, get your friends to save free vote coupons for you and give their subscriptions.

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From time to time there has been considerable agitation to keep Carmel's skyline as attractive as possible. In fact, ordinances have been passed with that end in view. Why, therefore, is there still a radio towers atop Mrs. Leidig's store? The Business Association has written a letter to the Bank of Carmel protesting the appearance of the tower. Everyone seems to agree with the Business Association.

Several times, for various dubious reasons, the more militant of our competitors has accused us of many unfair practices, like a little boy who has lost his marbles in a game and must needs say all the nasty things he can think of about his opponent. Far from being upset by these accusations, for we know that the troublesome opposition knows not of what he speaks—to put it mildly—we have continued to put out our paper.

Now, however, contrary to the dictates of good taste, we are obliged to acquaint the people of Carmel with an odd situation which exists in the nest of our enemy. We do this not in a vituperative or vindictive frame of mind to further our own ends, but because this situation affects all business in Carmel.

Can one business in Carmel get by without paying the required \$100 to establish an enterprise, without having a business license? Is it either fair or good business to slide by day after day with excuses and pleading? Is there any reason why every business in the Village but the Cymbol Company, which presumably publishes the Cymbol, should pay the usual fee?

Dear Competitor, do as the law says, and as everyone else does, or shut up.

Why, Bob Norton, as tax collector, haven't you done something about this flagrant case of tax evasion after having been cognizant with the situation for so long?

THE PLAGUE OF

THE RACKET

During that period of mental and moral coma, known as the Volstead Era, in which Organized Crime, Commercialized Vice and

Frenzied Fanatic, working in harmonious unity, succeeded in extending the privileges of inebriation to women and children, making it popular and possible for young girls to enjoy the beneficent stimulation of synthetic gin and refining influences of "speakeasies," the social structure, as a whole, was completely changed in texture, pattern and quality.

We are indebted to this period for many of the perplexing and prevailing problems of the present hour.

To many of the minor fruitions of the Volstead Blight we have grown accustomed and accept with equanimity. To see our daughters, with bare legs dangling from stools, before the cocktail bar, nonchalantly sipping their Baccardies, making merry, modestly attired in abbreviated step-ins, displaying the healthy tan of limbs and torso, while they refresh themselves with a Tom Collins, no longer provokes perturbation. We may even at times see their mothers and grandmothers indulging in similar relaxations.

Volstead was a great iconoclast and emancipator.

To him and the zealots who so nobly championed his endeavor we owe the development of an institution and practice which has become an intimate and integral part of human existence. It is almost as ubiquitous as the atmosphere. Pre-dating the Volstead Era it was latent, in embryo, awaiting fertility and favorable field for germination and growth. This benison is generically known as the Racket.

Today the Racket is the red corpuscle in the blood stream of human activity. It is encountered everywhere. It flourishes like the moth in the dark. Exposed to light it shrinks into invisibility, lapses into quiescence or assumes some disguise.

The Racket, like the moth family, generally, but not always, emerges from the chrysalis arrayed in brilliant colors, innocent and bewitching form and appealing appearance. Human credulity is hypnotized by its glamour, gentle approach and insidious, subtle methods. At other times it burgeons forth, like the dreaded tsetse fly, ravenous, filled with venom and lethal bacteria. This latter form, while dangerous, may be easily identified and destroyed.

The Racket most to be feared is the one which begins its attack with suave and plausible pretentious, pretty promises, sympathetic gestures and that culminates in the prescribing of panaceas obtainable only from the pharmacy of the promoter. Of this form of Racket we have had a superabundance. Medicine, Religion and Politics have supplied the media. People are constantly buying nostrums in hope of cure, to be poisoned, disappointed and deceived. People seek spiritual solace in cults which have been originated by lustful, carnal imposters. Whole populations fall victim to the insinuating, insincere and impossible promises of the Demagogue and political Racketeer.

Not long since Mr. Al Capone achieved considerable distinction as a Racketeer of the rough and ready type. His methods were crude and direct. He had an ambition to dominate the beer supply

during the arid Volstead Era when beer was more sought for than bread. Chicago was his chosen field of operation. Those who contested his supremacy were summarily disposed of by bombs, machine guns and rides which terminated in the morgue. In time he attained his Goal. He was the Beer Baron and Overlord of "Blind Pigs" and "Speaks" in Chicago and its environs. He grew rich, powerful and almost cultured. Prominence and success proved his undoing. The government, being at the time, in need of more ready cash prosecuted and imprisoned him for evading the Income Tax Law. The massacres, murders and the human life expended were considered merely as incidents and privileges of the Racketeer and he was not held to account for them.

Among Racketeers there exists a certain code of Comity which permits indiscriminate slaughter. One has the right to exterminate annoying opposition and vexatious competition.

Analogous to this we may cite another instance. Fifteen years ago two rival Labor Unions were mining coal at Herrin, in southern Illinois. The United Mine Workers of America, of which John L. Lewis was then and is now the President, claimed the exclusive privilege of mining or not mining coal in the Herrin field. The Steam Shovel Men's Union were operating in a small way. On June 18, 1922, Mr. Lewis, the present head of the C. I. O. and personal friend of our President, sent a telegram to his local subordinate in which he declared the Steam Shovel Men's Union an outlaw organization. Two days later the bloody battle of Herrin took place. A massacre without parallel in history for cruelty and wanton inhumanity. The total casualties were 64. Nineteen were slain outright. The victims were all working men. The motive for the massacre was supremacy.

We may not call this a battle of Racketeers but in practice it followed the tactics of Mr. Al Capone. There is another feature of similarity. No one was ever prosecuted and convicted for this ghastly crime. Even the Income Tax Collector refrained from action. It is not an indictment of Medicine, Religion, Politics or Labor Unions that the Racket has chiseled in and used them as vehicles. They are all worthy, useful and deserving institutions. The Labor Union in principle cannot be challenged. In practice it has accomplished magnificently. Because of its vast scope and application, reaching the very tap roots of human existence, the Right of Man to work, earn a livelihood under fair conditions and for just compensation, the Labor Union should be kept clean, uncontaminated by Racketeers.

When two Labor Unions compete for supremacy, engage in a contest for power and privilege, the bloody spectre of Herrin appears, principles and purposes are temporarily forgotten, if not permanently, and the destructive gangrene of Racketeering becomes virulent and vigorous.

Let us exempt honest Labor, the right to earn and enjoy a livelihood, from this scourge of civilization.

Mrs. Frederick Moore and daughter, Barbara, of San Francisco, are spending the summer in Carmel with Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. J. G. Hooper.

No, And There Will Be No Forest Theater Plays This Summer

Every summer for 27 years there have been productions on the Forest Theater stage. This year there will be none.

Some months ago, after having consulted engineers on the matter, B. Adams, city building inspector, condemned the stage as unsafe. The Park and Playground commission investigated and discovered that approximately \$150 would make the stage temporarily serviceable, without wiring which will have to be completely redone before the building inspector will permit use. New wiring will cost \$300 more. Therefore the Parks and Playground Commission decided that rather than do a temporary job, inasmuch, as there were no plays planned for this summer, that it would set about getting the money to rebuild the theater in time for performances next year.

GIVES BACH LECTURES

The Bach Festival was officially opened at 11 o'clock Monday morning when Myra Palache, a Bach authority, gave an illustrative talk at Pine Inn, where she will deliver similar talks each morning throughout the Festival. She delivered lectures here last year, making such a contribution to the concerts of the Festival that there was a widespread demand for her return.

Miss Palache, a niece of Whitney Palache, lectures and teaches piano in Berkeley. Season ticket holders will be admitted to all lectures without charge.

BEAUTY SHOP SOLD

Mr. and Mrs. William Varien, owners of the Vanity Box Beauty Salon, Monterey, have taken over the management of the Powder Puff Beauty Salon in Las Tiendas Patio, Carmel, it was announced this week.

The Variens, who are well known on the Peninsula, have purchased the interest of Mrs. Jewell Chaney. Mrs. Varien will be in charge of the Carmel shop.

Mrs. Chaney will leave Carmel at the end of this month to make her home in Nevada City, California, where her husband, George Chaney, has gone into business.

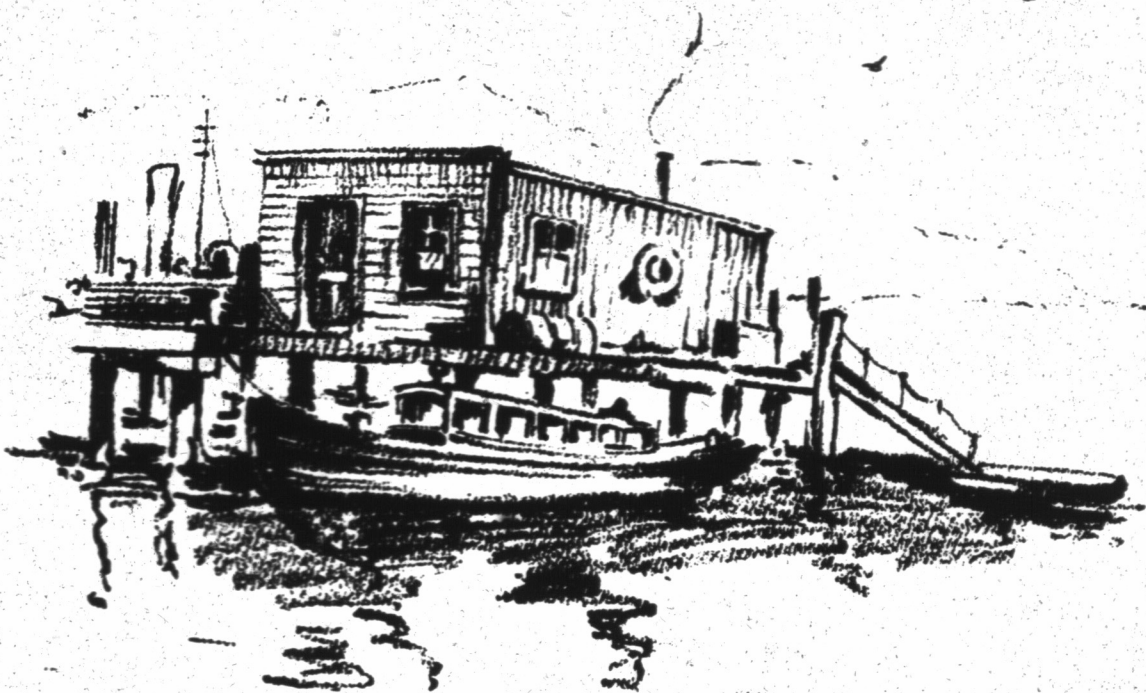
PUBLISHES BOOK

Everyone who is interested in Western tales, and there are many, will be interested in "The Tree of Death" by Frederick R. Bechdolt, just published by Doubleday Doran company.

Bechdolt has chosen as his leading character a man who would have held his own with Chicago's best racketeers. Sam Brink is the embodiment of evil, demanding tribute from all the surrounding ranchers. "The Tree of Death," so called by the vaqueros, was a cottonwood tree near Brink's ranch home in New Mexico, and here passed, at different times, all the things he coveted, people and cattle alike.

The action is fast, the characters well drawn, and the descriptions of frontier life convincing. A splendid addition to a Western library.

FISHERMAN'S WHARF — MONTEREY



HISTORIC WHARF

"Abalone shells, lady? Two for a nickle, three for a dime."

Visitors to old Fisherman's Wharf at the foot of Alvarado street in Monterey are greeted by dirty-faced urchins who plead with the characteristic eloquence of their Sicilian fathers. If one is in the buying mood, it is well to move on to the next lad and then to the next, for always there will be one lone outcast who undersells his competitors to such a point that the boys claim there is no profit to be made in the abalone shell business these days.

The wharf is at all times alive with color, noise, activity. The

many varieties of fish caught in the blue waters of Monterey Bay are displayed in the open fish markets; Japanese women in high hip boots pound abalone unceasingly, hour after hour; pleasure launches and fishing craft chug lazily up to the landings; fishermen stroll toward home with two or three fish wrapped in newspapers which they will have for lunch or dinner; amateur fishermen sit for hours on the piles trying their luck and at all times trucks run noisily back and forth over the aged planks.

Fisherman's Wharf has always been a place of interest, both to tourists and to all-year-round residents of the Peninsula. Artists find unusual and beautiful subjects for their canvases, which are later shown in galleries throughout the country.

The Peninsula is becoming more and more noted for its unusual eating places. Among the restaurants where delicious fish is served is The Pilot, captained by genial "Sonny Boy" Velez. The Pilot, at the entrance to the wharf, serves all varieties of sea food fresh from Monterey Bay. Down the wharf from the Pilot is Victor's, recently opened, where excellent fish lunches and dinners may be enjoyed. The Peninsula

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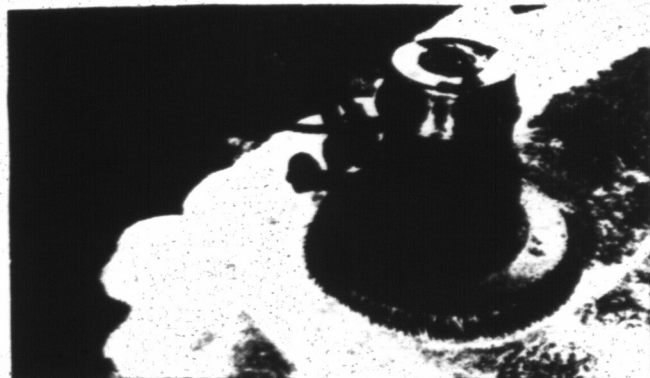
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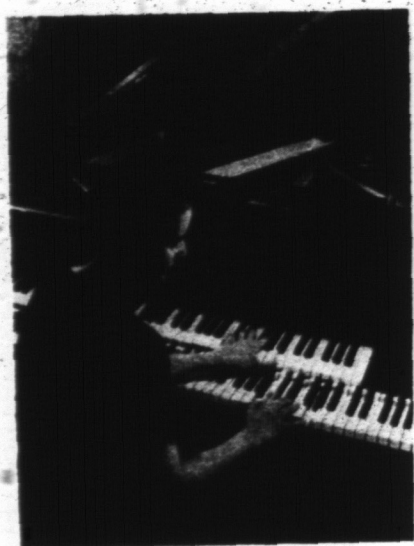
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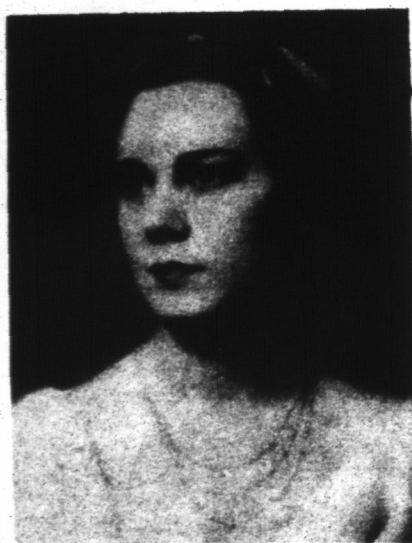
WOMEN SOLOISTS IN FESTIVAL THIS WEEK



Wanda Krasoff, gifted young pianist, is to appear on the Thursday evening program of the Bach Festival. Miss Krasoff was a pupil of Alexander Raab, Western exponent and teacher of the Moor Double Keyboard.



Evelyn Snow's rich and beautiful contralto voice as heard on the Monday evening program, and will be heard again Sunday evening. Mrs. Snow has delighted both Eastern and Western audiences with her perfectly trained and sincere voice, and has studied under such authorities as Richard Hageman, Louis Graveure and Elsa Alsen.



Lillian Stuber's appearance on the Monterey program of the Bach Festival marked a high point in the concert. The distinguished young pianist, a Californian by birth, has received wide acclaim. Miss Steuber shows fervor, depth of tone, and displays assured technical mastery.



Alice Mock, gifted soprano, was a soloist on the Monday program, and will appear again Saturday and Sunday. Miss Mock, of the Chicago Civic Opera Company, was born in Oakland, and has been as successful in Europe as here. She has a stirring lyric voice of wide range and exceptional carrying quality.

ARREST YOUNG THIEVES

Chief of Police Bob Norton was very much puzzled last Wednesday as to what to do, with two young shoplifters. Police recovered a bushel basket of small items stolen from Carmel shops during

the week. There was no place in Carmel to lodge the two young San Francisco lads; Monterey would not take them, and it was not until after considerable telephoning that they were sent to the County Jail in Salinas.

The father of one boy, a San Francisco policeman, could not be found, and the parents of the other would not come down, simply saying—send 'em home when you are through with 'em. The boys, aged 15 and 16, were on a hitch-hike vacation.

Severity of the charges against them will depend upon local merchants.

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Bach Festival Well Under Way to Become Distinctive Tradition

Carmel may well be proud of the interest aroused throughout the West by this, the third annual Bach Festival. Another very pleasing aspect of the Festival is the participation in it of people of varied interests and position. A tradition, very like the Passion Play at Oberammergau, seems to be in the process of development. Nothing could be more conducive to cultural development, and music appreciation than the fine tradition the Festival is rapidly becoming.

Michel Pfanha, former cellist with the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra is the director, with such notable singers for soloists as Evelyn Snow, contralto; Alice Mock, soprano; Noel Sullivan, bass; John Daggett Howell, baritone; and Andrew Sessink, tenor. The pianists include Edward Steuermann, Olga Steeb, and our own Anne Greene and Winifred Howe. Grace Thomas is flute soloist. Alexander Murray and Sacha Jacobinoff are the violin soloists. An organ recital will be given by Richard Wissmueller at All Saint's Church at 4 p.m., today, and one at 4 p.m., Friday.

There will be five more concerts: Thursday and Saturday at the Sunset School Auditorium at 8:30 p.m., and Sunday at the Carmel Mission at 8:30 p.m., this concert will begin promptly because the NBC broadcast will be from 8:30 until 9:00.

Dr. and Mrs. John Saam and Mr. James Vernon Short were in Carmel for the week-end. Mrs. Short, and sons, Harvey and Irving, who have been staying at their studio on North Carmelo for the past three weeks, plan to remain here for the rest of the month.

TO READ SHAKESPEARE

The next meeting of the Carmel Shakespeare Company will be Tuesday, July 27, in the Girl Scout House at 8 o'clock. The play to be read at this time is "The Tempest." The group is steadily growing, and more and more interest is being taken in the readings.

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DEDICATION



Last week was dedicated to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, for whom Carmel was named. In 1602, when Sebastian Vizcaino came to the Monterey Peninsula, with him were two Carmelite priests, who, after saying Mass in Monterey came here to say Mass, and named first the river, Rio de Carmelo, then the place, Carmel.

DISCUSS SIGNS

At a luncheon meeting Monday noon in the San Carlos Hotel, the Monterey Chamber of Commerce discussed the nature and location of signs along the Carmel-San Simeon highway.

There has been considerable controversy regarding this matter. The California State Automobile Club has awaited a decision from the Chamber before posting their signs.

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Council Decides To Enforce Parking Law

The Carmel council decided at a meeting last week to enforce the year old, two-hour parking limit ordinance as soon as warning signs are erected. The signs will be purchased after the police department has made a survey of the situation.

E. H. Ewig, spokesman for the Business Association group attending the meeting, produced about 15 letters from businessmen petitioning for the enforcement of the ordinance. The association asked that the law be enforced rigidly in order to be effective.

The matter now rests with Police Commissioner Burge who has been empowered to purchase signs and enforce the ordinance after his department has reported on the extent of the problem.

Councilman Rowntree read a letter from Louis Burke, legal council for the League of California Municipalities, to prove that the maximum penalty for infringement of the Uniform Building Code now in process of adoption by the council was illegal in cities of the sixth class. As a result, the ordinance adopting the building code was amended to fix the maximum penalty at not more than \$300, and not more than three months in jail.

The city clerk was authorized to enlist the aid of the county assessor to prepare assessment sheets and cards and to purchase necessary assessment roll blanks. In other words, the council is permitting the city clerk the county aid in making up the 1937 tax rolls. No mention was made as to the audit. It is to be hoped, however, that the audit mess will be cleared up within the next few months.

Street Superintendent Askew stated that a cesspool at Scenic and 8th overflows creating a very bad sanitary condition. The matter was referred to the Sanitary Board.

Ida Culver Wintermute asked that a bush be removed. The bush, it seems, provides a shelter for young men and women caught in the inescapable romance of the beach. The bush is to be removed.

In honor of Miss Audrey Richell, of Oakland, who is visiting at the Harbolt home on Mission street, Maxine Harbolt entertained at a luncheon last Friday. Beside the guest of honor, those invited were Eleanor Morehead, Florence Brown, Sue Brownell, Beverley and Joan Tait and Betty Reynolds.

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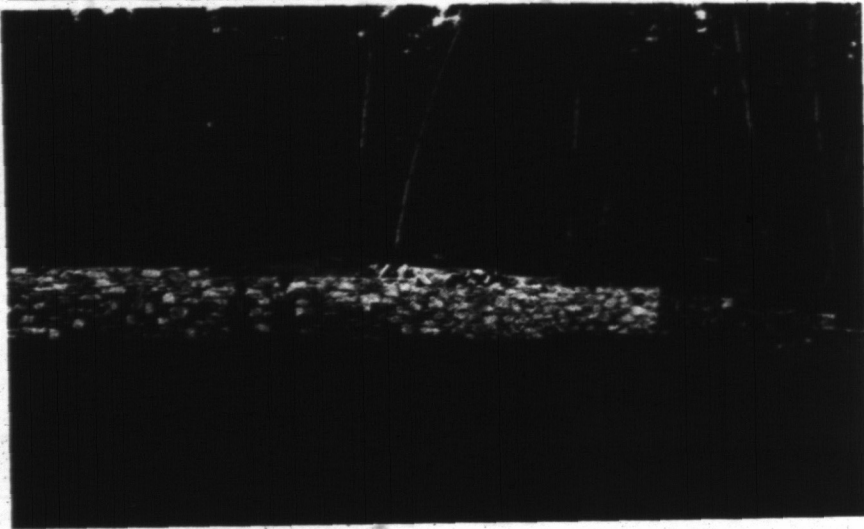
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LEGION AUXILIARY INSTALLS OFFICERS

Friday evening at the Manzanita club, the Women's auxiliary of the American Legion held their installation of officers. Mrs. Helen Storm, district President, was the installing officer. The new officers are: Mrs. Markham Johnston, president; Mrs. William Bensberg, first vice president; Mrs. Ed Ewig, second vice president; Mrs. Ray Moore, secretary; Mrs. Lee Gottfried, sergeant-at-arms; and Mrs. Charles G. Lawrence, historian.

At the conclusion of the business of the evening a buffet supper was served in the lounge.

Mrs. M. T. Brewer, of Carmel is visiting her sister, Mrs. May T. Griffin, in Hollywood.

dedication of the City's two new tennis courts on upper Camino Del Monte near Junipero. Cracks in the playing surface have somewhat retarded the completion of the courts. The courts will be ready for play next Saturday, July 24th, according to Corum Jackson, chairman of the parks and playgrounds commission. George Seidneck is making plans for the dedication.

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TRAVELER



Bill Dickinson, son of the Henry Dickinsons, of the Carmel Point, spoke Sunday evening at the Parish House of All Saint's Church on "Cooperatives." Bill has just returned from Manchester, England, where he made a study of the subject. During his nine month's stay in Europe, he also visited France, Denmark, Sweden, Germany and Holland. He tells us that one of the nicest things about his trip was meeting Tilly Polak in Holland.

Maxine and Eleanor George, who have a home up the Carmel Valley, entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Mather, Stu Marble and Stephen Foster Jr. over the weekend.

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